

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7407

INFO AMEMBASSY COLOMBO

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AMEMBASSY RANGOON

AMCONSUL BOMBAY

AMCONSUL CALCUTTA

AMCONSUL MADRAS

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, IN

SUBJ: MAPS OF OFFSHORE AREAS OF INDIA

REF: A) STATE A-5227; B) NEW DELHI 4879

1. AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI WOULD APPRECIATE EARLY RECEIPT OF TWO ADDITIONAL COPIES OF UNCLASSIFIED MAP OF BAY OF BENGAL (KALINGAPATNAM TO COYANGYI KYUN), N.O. 63020, SCALE: 1:915,600, SIMILAR TO SHEETS PROVIDED BY INR/DFR/RGE JUNE 15 (REF A). PLEASE AIR POUCH C/O MINERALS ATTACHE.

2. IT WILL NOT BE NECESSARY TO INCLUDE ON THE ABOVE-REQUESTED COPIES THE TERRITORIAL WATER DATA, PROJECT INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARIES OR OVERLAYS INDICATING BANGLADESH OIL CONCESSION ZONES PREPARED AS ENCLOSURES TO REF A. WE PLAN TO USE ADDITIONAL COPIES FOR OFFICE WORK SHEETS ONLY AND WILL PLOT BOUNDARIES, ETC., HERE AS REQUIRED (FROM ORIGINAL MAP PROVIDED BY DEPARTMENT).

3. WE HAVE COMPLETED THE DRAFTING OF AN OFFICE WORKING-  
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COPY OVERLAY OF EACH OFFSHORE AREA OPENED BY THE GOI FOR

CONTRACT BIDDING BY FOREIGN OIL EXPLORATION COMPANIES (REF B).  
DATA WILL BE ADDED TO EACH AS PROGRESS IS REPORTED. ADDITIONALLY  
WE ARE CONVERTING CURRENTLY AVAILABLE INFORMATION TO  
ALL-  
INDIA GENERAL REFERENCE MAP AND OVERLAY (SCALE ABOUT 1:2,750,  
000) FOR EARLY POUCHING TO EACH ADDRESS POST. WE WILL INCLUDE  
ALSO A GAZETTER LISTING ALL BOUNDARY TURNING POINTS USED BY  
THE GOI TO OUTLINE EACH DESIGNATED AREA (EXPRESSED AS LATITUDE-  
LONGITUDE COORDINATES), AND WILL UPDATE EACH POST PERIODICALLY  
AS DEVELOPMENTS OCCUR.  
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